CASH-INVARIABLY IN ADVANCE.

num, or \$1.50 for six months.
The WEEKLY DISPATCH at \$2 per annum.

MILITARY NOTICES.

GRAYS, ATTENTION!—Assemble at a regimental armory on FRIDAY NIGHT STATE AT 1% o'clock, in undress uniforms, for a company drill.

By order LOUIS J. BOSSIEUX, Captain, ja 24-24 JAMES E. TYLER, Orderly,

AMUSEMENTS. PICHMOND THEATRE.

THREE NIGHTS AND WEDNESDAY MATINEE MISS FANNY DAVENPORT will make her first appearance in Richmond on MONDAY EVENING, JANUARY 28TH, in her great original creation of MABEL RENEREW in Augustin Daly's great society comedy.

PIQUE.

A PLAY OF TO-DAY, produced under Mr. Augustin Daly's personal supervision, and with the great artists of Mr. Daly's celebrated.

Comeay Company in the cast.

TUESDAY EVENING, JANUARY 20TH, MISS DAVENPORT will appear in her brilliant and famous personation of LADY TEAZLE in the new Prince of Wales version of Sheridan's SCHOOL FOR SCANDAL as arranged by Mr. Augustin Daly, and offered with the great New York cast.

WEDNESDAY MATINEE, 2 O'CLOCK. will be produced the great play of DIVORCE. WEDNESDAY EVENING, JANUARY 30TH, MISS DAVENPORT'S FAREWELL, and her only appearance in her marvellously brillight persona-tion of ROSALIND in Shakspeare's AS YOU LIKE IT.

in act fourth MISS DAVENPORT will sing the

Scale of Prices: General admission, \$1; Family Circle, 50c.; reserved scats, \$1.50. Box-sheet opens at Johnston's and box-office of Theatre FRIDAY, January 25th, at 9 A. M. ja 24-4; RICHMOND THEATRE.

Engagement of the young American tragedlenne. MARY ANDERSON. Her first appearance here since her recent distinguished triumphs in New York, Boston, and elsewhere.

Miss Anderson will be supported by a POWERFUL AND CAREFULLY-SELECTED COMPANY.

including the popular young actor. JOHN W. NORTON. THURSDAY EVENING. JANUARY 24, 1878. will be presented Richard Shiel's sublime play, in five acts, entitled EVADNE:

FRIDAY EVENING. JANUARY 25, INGOMAR. MATINEE, SATURDAY, JANUARY 26. ROMEO AND JULIET. SATURDAY EVENING, JANUARY 26,

GUY MANNERING. Box-sheet opens TUESDAY at 9 A. M. at JOHN-STON'S and box-office of Theatre. Secured seats, \$1.50. ja 21-4t

DICHMOND MOZART ASSOCIATION. o'clock. Admission only by membership- or invita-tion-cards, which must be presented at the door. Members can obtain invitation-cards on application at WYATT's music-store, No. 920 Main street.

LECTURE. CORRESPONDENCE. .

MOZART-HALL-LECTURE.

RICHMOND, January 19, 1878. The undersigned, desirous that sound views of the moral obligation, both of Individuals and of States, to pay their debts, should prevalt in the community, and believing that you, as a professor of moral phylosophy, have carefully studied the subject and are qualified to give wholesome instruction concerning it, respectfully and carrestly request that you will, as soon as it may be convenient, deliver a lecture on the subject in this city. Your compliance with this request will, we doubt not, greatly benefit the public, and much oblige.

Moses D. Hoge,
D. S. Doggett,
John L. Bacon,
Richard a. Dunlop,
James Thomas, Jr.,
J. B. McCaw,
Randolph Harrison,
Isaac Davenport, Jr.,

PROUMONN VA. January 22, 1878. Professor J. L. M. Curry, LL. D .:

RICHMOND, VA., January 22, 1878. To General Joseph E. Johnston and others: Gentlemen,—I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 19th instant. A request from such a source has the force of a command; but I can only hope to bring forward famand; but I can only nobe to oring forward familiar truths at a timely moment.

My engagements will prevent a compliance earlier
than next week. The place and the particular night
I leave to you.

Yours very truly,
J. L. M. CURRY.

MUZART HALL has been selected as the place, and TUESDAY NIGHT, 29th of January, at 8 P. M. as the time, for the delivery of the above lecja 24-td

ECTURE.—The REV. SAMUEL A. STEEL, pastor of Broad-Street church, will deliver a LECTURE at UNION-STATION METHO-DIST CHURCH FRIDAY EVENING, January 25, 1878, at 7:30 o'clock, for the benefit of the organ Subject: "BLUNDERS." Admission, 25 cents.

ENTERTAINMENT.

HELP THE POOR.

By request, Master RALPH BINGHAM, the Boy Orator, will give another exhibition for the benefit of the poor of Manchester, FRIDAY, January 25th, at the Baptist church, at 7 o'clock P. M. An excellent programme will be presented. ADMISSION: Adults, 15c.; children, 10c.

PIANOS, ORGANS, &c. FOR SALE LOW-

AN EXCELLENT ORGAN;

has been but little used.

Will be sold at balf price. Also, DANNER'S REVOLVING BOOK-CASESneat, durable, and cheap-just the thing for every-

Ja 24 1107 Main street. DIANO FOR RENT.

A fine SEVEN-OCTAVE PIANO can be rented at a moderate rate to a prompt payer. Address "MUSIC,"

care of Dispatch office. FURNITURE.

SPECIAL NOTICE. Having made a change in business we will offer for the next thirty days our stock of FINE GOODS AT COST in order to reduce stock, Parties in want of FINE SUITS can save from thirty to fifty dollars per suit within that time.

E. GATHRIGHT & SON, 1a 24-1m

16 Governor street.

TURNITURE AT COST! MUST BE SOLD.—I have taken the large and commodions store No. 1203, opposite Planters National Bank, Main street, and will during the next fifteen or twenty days sell at my present stand, No. 305 east Broad street, a large quantity of goods at cost. My stock is very large, consisting of Walnut Dressing-Case Suits, other Chamber Furniture, and Parler Suits; Chairs of all kinds, Marbie-Top Tables, Sideboards, Bureaus, Wardarobes, Bedsteads, Washstanes, Lounges, Hat-Racks, Sofas, Cribs, Cradles, Mattresses, &c. Terms: Liberal.

J. D. GATEWOOD, ja 23 No. 305 east Broad street.

FURNITURE! FURNITURE! NEW STYLES, ELEGANT DESIGNS.

NEW FIRM. HAVING PURCHASED THE GOOD-WILL and INTEREST OFR. BURGESS & CO.

we are now prepared to furnish at all times the finest MEATS at lowest market prices. Fine BEEF, MUT-TON, VEAL, PORK, DRIED and SPICED BEEF. senator. CORNED BEEF, DRIED BEEF-TONGUES, SAU-SAGE of an kinds; the finest PORK-SAUSAGE to WOODS & LINDSEY, 23.—The Ontario flouring mills have been WOODS & LINDSEY, 23.—The Ontario flouring Stall No. 8, Second Market. burned. Loss, \$50,000.

## Richmond Dispatch.

THE CIRCULATION OF THE DISPATCH IS LARGER THAN THE COMBINED CIRCU-LATION OF ALL THE OTHER DAILY NEWS-PAPERS OF THE CITY.

THURSDAY ...... JANUARY 24, 1878.

WEATHER REPORT.

INDICATIONS FOR To-DAY .- For the Middle Atlantic States, clear or partly cloudy weather, cold northwesterly veering to warmer southerly winds, rising followed by

falling barometer.
For the South Atlantic States, clear or veering to warmer southeasterly vinds, stationary or higher pressure. For the Gulf States, Tennessee, and the Gade. Ohio Valley, warmer, clear, or partly cloudy "Y weather, southeast to southwest winds, and falling barometer.

Off-shore signals continue at Cape Lookout, Cape Hatteras, Kitty Hawk, Cape Henry, Norfolk, Baltimore, Cape May, Atlantic City, and Eastport.

THE WEATHER YESTERDAY was clear and considerably colder, with northwest winds. THERMOMETER YESTERDAY: 6 A. M., 40; A. M., 44; noon, 47; 3 P. M., 42; 6 P. M., 36; midnight, 27.

A Ringing Article by the Rev. Dr. Brown.

[From the Central Presbyterian, 23d.] SHALL WE REPUDIATE?

When the cry of repudiation is raised in State we pass from the domain of politics into that of morals, and it is the duty of the religious press not to remain a passive spectator of such a transaction as that which left its indelible brand upon the name of Mississippi forty years ago. We are glad that the Religious Herald has spoken, and we all ought to speak, at least those who stand within the pale of the Churchpledged to "owe no man anything," and who by a conspicuous profession have renounced in every form "the hidden things of dishonesty." Society rests on the confidence that men

repose in one another, and that community where men speak the truth and are scrupulous in the observance of their promises is a community where men feel secure, and where the firmest and most stable government will be established. It is on the character of the people that after all government must rest, and when the fountain of good morals is once poisoned the decay of the State has commenced. Shall the State set the example to the people of a violation of contracts? Shall the State put the citizen in jail for taking his neighbor's goods, or turn him over to the sheriff for not meeting his notes, and then abrogate at her own unrestrained plea-The regular weekly soirce will take place at Mo-zart Hall THIS (Thursday) EVENING at 8½ drove their carriages and never felt the prevails among those who fifteen years ago George B. McClellan, and started for Newwant of money? Our fields were wasted by war; our labor was disorganized by the emancipation of our slaves; we have had bad crops for a series of years-droughts

and floods-and the State debt has been actress of distinction and her company an tention of the community at large. I McRae several times called attention to the growing in the mean time. It is a heavy excellent one she will no doubt have a full noticed on the first day of January the col- alleged violation of the charter, and it was load to carry—a very heavy load. The house. A cotemporary, in referring to Miss ored people of North Carolina had a grand on his motion that the investigation which most agreeable way to get rid of it would Anderson in "Evadne," which will be prebe to throw the burden down and refuse to | sented to-night, says: carry it any further. Is that the Christian way of meeting a duty? The Christian destined to become a great actress. Young Richmond has been organized nearly sent of Mr. McRae, and is an act of simple carries crosses heavier than that, and he and necessarily inexperienced as she is, she three years, and has never had one justice. is not allowed to throw them downor only at the peril of the loss of his crown. Are Christian men and women looking at but more truthfully to be described as the formed as a field-officer, and he, as it hapthis thing as Christian men and women? inevitable consequences of a well-directed, pened, is a sergeant. The battalion had Council last night in granting the eight Do they realize the fearful responsibility of a deliberate refusal to pay an honest debt? There are aspects of this question purpose. The word intelligent does not the present commandant in charge. I noby they will remain and rebuild in our tice, again, when the Chief Magistrate of midst. Mr. Parrish, the secretary and suwhich deeply affect the reputation of the adequately describe her facile expression the United States came to our city of seven perintendent of the company, informed our Christian Church, for there are some who nor her reading of the text. Both indicate hills, all of the militia of the city were orstand high in it who are leading in this cru- originality and hard study. The word beau- dered out in honor of his Excellency. Our sade against the payment of the State debt. tiful does not adequately convey her voice, battalion went out, Captain J. C. in com-We do not impugn their motives; we only face, and form. Her voice is powerful, and mand. Their major could not be found. feel that they have not measured the significance or the effect of what they are doing, both classic and mobile, and her form, inaugurated, the battalion was called out, properly and only political the Church has derson's 'Evadne' is a noble presence." nothing to do. Disputed facts must be left for those to whom they belong; but with conceded facts and the moral obligations

and all who have the opportunity to speak pay it, of which we shall have more to say Mayseder, and the Misses Swain a duo for at another time. Any other idea or course of action is a delusion and a snare, and no amount of sophistry can ever truly appease an enlightened conscience until exactly that, and not a cent less, is returned which was originally received. If I borrow \$100 in gold it is my business to return \$100 in gold \$50 will never discharge that debt. But suppose I can't pay it? It is a great misfortune; a heavy load to carry down to the grave. You ought not to have contracted a

debt which it turns out you cannot pay. rather imitate George Muller, who carries out literally the injunction "to owe no man anything?" Moreover, is 'it quite certain that you cannot pay?

But did not Virginia get a full consideraion for her debt? Does she not hold much of the property now? How did she contract it? Did she not build a University, and a canal, and many railroads? Does she not enjoy these now? It was not a war debt. population, and no University, nor canal, nor railroads.

\$500,000 per annum for schools? Schools they have made. for which we thank God; but are we to have all the luxuries of the season and then say we can't pay our debts?

Now this \$500,000 for the schools was spent on private schools before the war. At present we raise the sum by taxation; but t came out of our pockets all the same before. Really, therefore, we are not paying to the State a tax of fifty cents in the \$100; it is only forty cents; for the school-tax is merely the same money which we formerly paid for the private schools; it was just as much a tax then as it is now.

Now is it not an outrage to declare that we cannot pay more than forty cents in the \$100 in the way of a property tax? A man who has real estate valued at \$10,000 pays \$40 per annum on it, and says that \$55 would ruin him; and therefore he rights the ship by throwing some of his obligations overboard.

This may do for Wall street-or in those circles where men compromise by paying twenty cents in the dollar, and then hang up their lace curtains and spread their velvet carpets again, but it will be no plea in the chancery of Heaven. .

COLLISION IN THE MERSEY .- London, January 23 .- The American ship Baring Bro-Liverpool, came in collision with the Span- future better than by the past. If so, compare members of the Council. ish steamship Ponce in the Mersey off Livlerpool to-day. The steamship sunk and
two of the crew were drowned. The Batring Brothers is much injured and is making

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de 11-3m water rapidly. She has been towed up the river and anchored. She was entering the iver in tow when struck by the Ponce. A

heavy fog prevailed. IOWA SENATOR .- Des Moines, Iowa, January 23.-Mr. Abison has been reelected

LOCAL MATTERS.

VISIT OF THE MILITARY TO CHARLESTON .-The following letter, touching the visit of tionable to them. the Walker Light Guard to Charleston, S. ceived by the Colonel commanding the First Virginia regiment:

"HEADQUARTERS SOUTH CAROLINA) "RIFLE BATTALION,

the approaching 22d of February would the Council. not have been complete without your prespartly cloudy weather, cold northerly, pos- that we waived our own invitation in order canvassed, and until it is apparent that the that the greater compliment could be paid people wish it. you by an invitation from your entire bri-

"We desire, however, to claim you in part, and I have the honor to extend to you, tion of L. T. C. against the reduction on the ficers of your regiment, a most cordial in- spent \$1,000,000 in the construction of the vitation to be present at the reception at our works, and therefore should receive back. armory, which we propose giving is com-pliment to our guests, the Walker Light annually, and chargeable to expenses of the Barnegat. Sandy Hook, New York, New Holment to our guests, the Walker Light annually, and chargeable to expenses of the Haven, New London, Newport, Wood's Guard, on the evening of their arrival in Hole, Boston, Thatcher's Island, Portland, our city.

in our city.

"Yours very truly. "C. IRVINE WALKER, battalion."

ject has been stated, but it is presumed their further negotiations will prove of a social character.

PERSONAL.-By the elections of yesterday no change was made in the State officers except as to Superintendent of Public Printing. Captain R. E. Frayser succeeds Major R. F. Walker in that position. The Second Auditor, Treasurer, and Railroad hereafter to be fixed. Miss Rosabella, daughter of Mr. and Mrs.

P. Strause, and Emanuel Raab, Esq., were married at the Eleventh-Street synagogue been charged to that account, which is now vesterday evening. At Virginia Hall last termed the cost of the works to the city, night they had a grand reception and din-A number of enterprising merchants, with J. P. Yancey as chairman, and J. M. Nowlan as secretary, met last evening and resolved to organize a commercial club in this city

attractive as a trade-centre. FUGITIVE FROM JUSTICE .- J. H. Thornton alias Cox (colored), who was arrested Satsure the contracts which she had made? urday night as a fugitive from justice from Who does not know that the State of Vir- Newark, N. J., where he is charged with ginia is poor? Whose heart does not bleed burglary, was delivered to Detective A. J. at the-not poverty, but destitution which McManus, on a requisition from Governor

tre commences to-night, and as she is an leigh, N. C .- I am compelled to call the at- sixty days on account of ill health. Mr.

THE MOZART THIS EVENING .- The programme for this evening will be exceedconnected with them the Christian Church ingly attractive in both vocal and instruon its behalf are to the last degree concerned. Four pieces, including the "Romance" We say then that there is but one dis-Alice Swain will sing two solos for soprano, The Russian Nightingale," by Alabief. matter.

DR. CURRY ON THE MORAL OBLIGATIONS OF INDIVIDUALS AND STATES .- Elsewhere in this morning's Dispatch will be found correspondence between Rev. M. D. Hoge, General Joseph E. Johnston, and others, with Why did you go in debt? Why do you not Rev. J. L. M. Curry in reference to the delivery of Dr. Curry's address on the moral obligations, both of individuals and of States, to pay their debts. It will be seen that Dr. Curry has consented to deliver an

livery of the lecture. BLUNDERS .- This is the subject of a lecone third has been knocked off for West Virginia, which had only one fourth of the Virginia, which had only one fourth of the night. The well-known ability and elcquence of Mr. Steel will no doubt attract a Are you not collecting a State tax of some great many to hear him tell of the blunders

SUPREME COURT OF APPEALS .- Marxhausen vs. Commonwealth; Helfrick vs. same. Fully argued by John B. Young, Esq., and | Cedar-Works-The Matter Finally Settled-

submitted. Moll vs. Guigon, judge; Hagan vs. same. Answers of defendant filed, and partly argued by J. B. Young for plaintiffs. Griffin's administrator vs. Griffin, Appeal allowed from a decree of the Cir- Matthews, N. A. Eubank, Ajax Gary, W. low figures. cuit Court of Henrico.

Massle vs. Commonwealth. Writ of error awarded to a judgment of the Circuit Court of Franklin.

> [For the Dispatch.] Call a Halt.

tive, is a grave and serious matter.

that they should be thus disfranchised? Justices of the Peace, Auditor, Collector, months and a half. and High Constable? Now, Councilmen may

The disfranchisement of the people to pay every cent that he owed. this extent will save nothing. Elections stable, Collector, and Auditor, as we do which required his resolutions concerning now.

The patronage of the City Council is regular meeting. Agreed to. already very great. Backed by it, a member, however undesirable, may long dety Monteiro Saturday night, was read by the the popular will. When the time comes Chair: when the Councilmen and all the office- Whereas it is the opinion of this body

RICHMOND, VA., THURSDAY MORNING, JANUARY 24, 1878.

C., on the 22d of February, has been re- of the elective power between the people their request on the conditions agreed on we surrender these offices into the hands of where the agreement was six; also, the \*CHARLESTON, S. C., January 19, 1878. ) we will be restive in on bondage, but we be held by the city under the like condi-General Bradley T. Johnson, Richmond, will never have any to blame but ourselves. tions as those of Dunlop & McCance's mill. Let the people speak to their representatives in the General Assembly on this sub-

ence. This sentiment we found so general made until this proposition is thoroughly the tenure of the buildings," &c. NO OFFICE-HOLDER.

Gas Question.

Editors of Dispatch: In the communicaand through you to the field and staff of- price of gas he argues that the city has "We shall also be happy to welcome you appropriated \$250,000 to build the works on at our armory at all times during your stay | Cary street, together with the mains, &c., for supplying the city. When they removed the works to Rocketts another \$100,-000 was appropriated by the city, making Major-Commanding South Carolina Rifle the sum total by the city of \$350,000. All over and above that has been paid by the consumer, from year to year, from the re-WHOLESALE MERCANTILE CLUB. - A meet- ceipts to the city for the use of gas-as the ing was held last evening by about fifty last annual statement of the works will show young men connected with the principal in its disbursements, so much for construct minutes. wholesale houses of the city for the purpose tion, ten thousand dollars, and so on all the of organizing a club, which they propose way back to the commencement of shall be known as the Wholesale Mercantile the consumption of gas in the city. Club of Richmond. As yet no definite ob- Does L. T. C. say that amount, \$10,000, and so on back, is paid by the city except intents are charitable, and the result of their indirectly, after being collected from the consumer? The annual statement will show these facts-thus: the \$650,000 to complete the works to its present status has been paid by the consumer from year to year; and his opposition to the cedar-works grant. you wish the man who consumed to pay imterest on his own money from year to year as the works were extended. The extension from time to time was paid from the receipts from gas and charged to con- years-was carried by the following vote: Commissioner are to be chosen at a time struction account, as shown in the last report. Let L. T. C. go and look at the account for construction on the books of the works and see for himself how much has but which was paid and taken from the consumer for the use of gas.

N. B. Let the city adopt a gas-tax per capita upon the head of every family sufficient to pay for the street-lights -- for everybody gets the benefit of that-then reduce for the purpose of entertaining merchants the price to \$2 to the consumer, pay the with the view of making Richmond more city the interest on the \$350,000, and you will then bave the works yielding a surplus sufficient for construction.

A GAS-CONSUMER ever since the works were established.

Letter on the Discipline of the Colored Battalion of Richmond.

RICHMOND, VA., January 13, 1878. considerable time the movements of the elected a member of the Council July 20th PLAIN and FANCY HOSE, MISS ANDERSON'S ENGAGEMENT .- Miss | colored battalion, and finding it so very Mary Anderson's engagement at the Thea- different from that of our sister city-Ra- qualify, and granted a leave of absence for and it proved to be the grandest of its grand jury Tuesday was begun. This item kind ever witnessed. The battalion of is written without the knowledge or conpossesses those qualifications which are parade in uniform as a battalion sometimes recognized as histrionic genius, ought to. There is but one officer unicarefully-trained artistic instinct, governed | two moonlight parades during last summer, powerfully stirs the emotions. Her face is Again, when the Governor of our State was With such relations of this subject as are though slight, is commanding. Miss Au- but did not participate; yet and still in charge of some one else, but not the major. I think, and all good people of the Commonwealth, that three years is long enough to organize an army of ten thousand men, well drilled, well disciplined, and good solmental selections. The orchestra will play | diers in every respect. The law says, if I understand that part, that in sixty days after an officer shall have been commissioncharge from an honest debt-a receipt in with solo for cornet. Mr. Lorenzen will ed he and his company must report to the full; unless there is an absolute inability to play a solo violin "Variation in E," by Adjutant-General for inspection. On this basis I notice two companies organized piano from "Semiramis," by Rossini. Miss here, and they have never been inspected. There are companies in the city without · Tears, Idle Tears," by Basveechi, and captains; there are some without lieutenants, &c., and those that have no captains The Baton will be full of interesting the whole duty and responsibility fall on their lieutenants. Captains, be diligent and studious; lieutenants, bear a good name and reputation; and ye sergeants, pay attention and obey your officers. I am not one of the soldier-boys, but a wellwisher and a strong thinker. ALPHA.

A Suggestion.

HENRICO COUNTY, January 15th. Editors Dispatch: At the intersection of Venable and Eighteenth streets is a flagging which is a perfect disgrace to any city, as address on the subject referred to, and Mo- well as a great dread to owners of vehicles zart Hall has been selected as the place and who have to travel over it. I would sug-Tuesday night next as the time for the de- gest that the flagging be removed from its present position and put across Venable as a continuation of the brick pavement which extends along the northern side of Eighwalkway than the south side.

GEORGE WATT, Jr.

MANCHESTER AND VICINITY.

The City Council-Mr. Brooks is Present and Makes a Statement-The Richmond The Cedar-Works Company has Eight Years' Rent Free .- An adjourned meeting of the City Council was held last night. Present at roll-call (7:50 o'clock): C. C. McRae (president), R. S. Whitehead, J. H. L. Moody, A. Monteiro, and E. Gallagher. The Chair stated that Mr. Brooks was present, who desired to make a statement.

The privilege was granted. Mr. Brooks said that he was absent from the meeting last Saturday night, owing to the fact that he was in Richmond attending Messrs. Editors: The proposition so to business; that he had the advice of a amend the charter as to take away from the friend not to come. He spoke of his surpeople the right to elect all of the municipal prise at the reports in the papers Saturday officers except two (Mayor and Treasurer), and Sunday, and then went into a full exwhich the State Constitution makes so elec- planation of his late troubles in connection with the city. He stated that he was always What have the voters of Richmond done willing and ready to settle; that he had never embezzled one cent, and that he If they can be trusted to elect a Council- never would do such a thing. He had not man, why cannot they be trusted to elect been a mile and a half from the city for two

Mr. Brooks was entirely cool and dispassay that by their plan we will secure better | sionate, and his speech was listened to with officers. There is no way of judging the much interest by the spectators and the

Mayor, and Treasurer, and it will cost no- tion, which was pending at the last meetthing additional to elect Justices, High Con- ing. He asked that the rules be suspended, the cedar-works to lie over till the next

The following resolution, offered by Dr.

holders and all the city employes are bound [that the best interests of Manchester de- every Monday, where all letters for advice must be together in one common fate, nothing short mand that the Richmond Cedar-Manufacof a political revolution will enable the turing Company should be encouraged to people to dislodge any one, however object remain in the city by every fair and honor

able means, be it There has hitherto been a wise division Resolved, That said company be granted and the City Council, and no strong reason by the Council on the 18th instant, with has yet been presented for a change. If now the change only of the period of eight years the City Council the time may come when tenure of the buildings to be erected shall

President McRae made some remarks, in which he said he wished it expressly undertalion have always felt that the retinion of the leet. Let them say whether they wish to stood that while leases may be renewed the soldiers of Virginia and South Carolina on cularge the office-bestowing jurisdiction of buildings must follow the soil. Mr. McRae made a motion that the following clause in No amendment to the charter should be the above resolution be stricken out: "Also The reading of the deed to Dunlop & Mc-

Cance was called for. By request Dr. Monteiro read the same in full. Mr. Eubank asked if the lease had not een renewed.

The Chair stated that it had, with some modifications concerning taxes. Mr. Eubank addressed the Council in favor of granting the Cedar-Works Company their request.

Petitions signed by many citizens favorng the grant were read. Mr. Sampson asked that Mr. J. R. Perdue be allowed to address the Council briefly.

Agreed to. Mr. Perdue said that as a representative of the bondholders he would protest against the granting the Cedar-Works proposition. He thought as his bonds were secured by the water rents that he was interested in the matter and should have a word. Dr. Monteiro replied to Mr. Perdue in a

The Chair then put the motion to strike out the clause "also the tenure," &c., of Dr. Monteiro's resolution. Lost. AYES .- Messrs. McRae, Whitehead, Moody, and

vigorous and telling speech of ten or fifteen

Samp on-4. Nors.—Messrs. Matthews, Enbank. Gallagher, Gibbs, Monteiro, Batcheller, and Gary-7. Mr. Perdue made a request to be allowed to enter a protest in writing, which should be placed upon the calendar in regard to

Considerable discussion ensued. Mr. Perdue withdrew his request. The original resolution as given abovegranting the cedar-works company eight AYES.—Messrs. Batcheller, Eubank. Gallagher. Gary, Gibbs. Matthews, Monteiro, Moody, and Whitehead—9. NOES.—Messrs. McKae and Sampson—2.

Mr. Gary stated that as he had opposed the resolution at a previous meeting he would state that he had changed his position upon the petition of his constituents. Mr. Moody, before he voted, wished to be fully satisfied as to certain points regarding the lease. On motion the Council adjourned.

ight to hear a report from Mr. Charles W.

ment satisfactorily. A Personal Explanation .- It is but just o C. C. McRac, Esq., president of the City SHAWLS, CLOAKS, Council, to state that he was not present at MERINO and WOOL UNDERWEAR, the meeting of the Council August 3, 1877, when the resolution creating the Special Committee was passed. He was LINEN-BOSOM SHIRTS, vice William H. Garnett, who failed to BLACK CRAPES, CRAPE VEILS, &c.

The Cedar-Works .- The citizens of Manchester will be gratified at the action of the years to the Cedar-Works Company, wherereporter that he would commence work immediately, and would be able to have his machinery in operation in thirty or forty

Charges Not Sustained .- Robert Morris and Jack Turley, two of the miners lately employed at the Brighthope pits, were arraigned before Justices Pinchbeck and Gresham, charged with threatening some of the miners who are still at work. The evidence failed to sustain the charge, and the accused were honorably acquitted.

Mayor's Court .- John Sworn (colored), for stealing a dress-coat from E. T. Osborne, was sentenced yesterday to receive tifteen lashes. Sam. Green, arraigned as a suspicious character, was discharged.

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[This custom was adopted about fifteen years ago
by all the real estate agents in Richmond, and applies to Richmond and vicinity.]

. THOMPSON BROWN, 4 P. M., two new brick stores and large brick house on Brook avenue near Broad street. JNO. E. LAUGHTON, JR. 10 A. M., at the store of Bernicchi & Co., on Main street between Eighth and Ninth, confectioneries, show-cases, &c.; and at 11 o'clock the store building.

FRANK D. HILL, 4 P. M., building lot on the east side of Fourth street between Byrd and Canal streets, Gambie's Hill. FRANK J. SAMPSON. 4 P. M., house and lot of Fourteenth street between Decatur and Stock

ton, Manchester.
T. L. WHITING, H. C. C. R., 11 A. M., at No. 5 south Twelfth street, one office from safe.

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Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of the said Joel B. Watkins, bankrupt, for the purpose of declaring a dividend, will be he d at Richmond at the office of Thomas S. Atkins, Esq., Register in Bankrunt y in said district, on MUNDAY the 4th day of February, 1878, at 10 o'clock A M., in accordance with the provisions of section 50#2 of the Revised Strutes of the United States.

Dated at Richmond this 22d day of January, 1878.

W. P. M. KELLAM, Assignce.

NOTE.—Proof of debt (whether secured or unsecured) by deposition, with cridence of debt attached, is necessary in all cases.

Ja 23-T2w. RUPTCY.